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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

**Plaintiff,**

**-vs-**

**DEON GARRETT,**

**Defendant.**

Case:2:23-cr-20395  
Judge: Goldsmith, Mark A.  
MJ: Grand, David R.  
Filed: 07-11-2023 At 04:26 PM  
SEALED MATTER (LG)

**Violation(s):  
21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1)(a)**

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**INDICTMENT**

**THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:**

**COUNT ONE**

**Possession of Fentanyl with Intent to Distribute  
21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1)**

On or about March 21, 2023, in the Eastern District of Michigan, the defendant, DEON GARRETT, knowingly and intentionally possessed with intent to distribute a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of fentanyl, a Schedule II controlled substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1) and (c).

**FORFEITURE ALLEGATIONS**  
**21 U.S.C. § 853**

The allegations contained in this Indictment are hereby incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture pursuant to the provisions of Title 21, United States Code, Section 853.

Under Title 21, United States Code Section 853, upon conviction of an offense in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841, the defendant shall forfeit to the United States of America any property constituting, or derived from, any proceeds obtained, directly or indirectly, as the result of such offenses and any property used, or intended to be used, in any manner or part, to commit, or to facilitate the commission of, the offense.

As part of the forfeiture in this case, the United States intends to seek entry of a forfeiture money judgment.

If any of the property described above, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant:

- a. Cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- b. Has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- c. Has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;

- d. Has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. Has been commingled with other property that cannot be divided without difficulty;

the United States of America shall be entitled to forfeiture of substitute property pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p).

THIS IS A TRUE BILL.

s/ Grand Jury Foreperson  
Grand Jury Foreperson

DAWN N. ISON  
United States Attorney

s/ Brandy R. McMillion  
Brandy R. McMillion  
Chief, General Crimes Unit

s/ Myra F. Din  
Myra F. Din  
Assistant U.S. Attorney

Dated: July 11, 2023

United States District Court Eastern District of Michigan	Criminal Case Cover Sheet	Case Number
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NOTE: It is the responsibility of the Assistant U.S. Attorney signing this form to complete it accurately in all respects.

<b>Companion Case Information</b>		Companion Case Number:
This may be a companion case based upon LCrR 57.10 (b)(4) <sup>1</sup> :		Judge Assigned:
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	AUSA's Initials: <i>MD</i>

Case Title: USA v. Deon Garrett

County where offense occurred : Wayne

Check One:  Felony       Misdemeanor       Petty

Indictment/ Information --- no prior complaint.  
 Indictment/ Information --- based upon prior complaint [Case number: ]  
 Indictment/ Information --- based upon LCrR 57.10 (d) [Complete Superseding section below].

#### **Superseding Case Information**

Superseding to Case No: \_\_\_\_\_ Judge: \_\_\_\_\_

Corrects errors; no additional charges or defendants.  
 Involves, for plea purposes, different charges or adds counts.  
 Embraces same subject matter but adds the additional defendants or charges below:

<u>Defendant name</u>	<u>Charges</u>	<u>Prior Complaint (if applicable)</u>
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Please take notice that the below listed Assistant United States Attorney is the attorney of record for the above captioned case.

July 11, 2023

Date

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<sup>1</sup> Companion cases are matters in which it appears that (1) substantially similar evidence will be offered at trial, or (2) the same or related parties are present, and the cases arise out of the same transaction or occurrence. Cases may be companion cases even though one of them may have already been terminated.